



AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

PATENT

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Filing Date: November 17, 1999
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Examiner's Name: Hanh Phan
Art Unit: 2638
Attorney Docket No.: 42P13950

An Amendment After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) is attached and applicant(s) request expedited action.

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Applicant(s) claim small entity status (37 CFR 1.27).

ATTACHMENTS

Preliminary Amendment

Amendment/Response with respect to Office Action

Amendment/Response After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) (reminder: consider filing a Notice of Appeal)

Notice of Appeal

RCE (Request for Continued Examination)

Supplemental Declaration

Terminal Disclaimer (reminder: if executed by an attorney, the attorney must be properly of record)

Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

Copies of IDS citations

Petition for Extension of Time

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Cross-Reference to Related Application(s)

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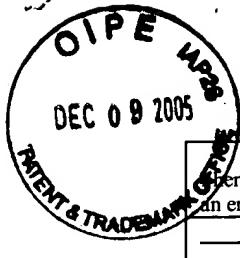
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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Sir/Madam:

In response to the Supplemental Notice of Allowance mailed November 16, 2005, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to consider the following remarks.

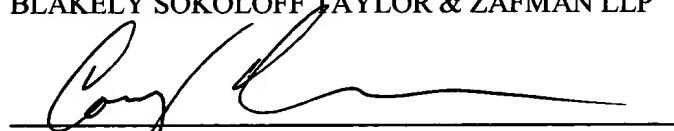
REMARKS

Examiner Phan, Hanh contacted Applicants' representative, Cory G. Claassen on November 11, 2005. A telephonic interview was conducted. During this telephonic interview claim 22 was discussed. Agreement was reached to cancel claim 22.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned representative at (206) 292-8600 if the Examiner believes that a further interview might be useful for any reason.

Respectfully submitted,

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